

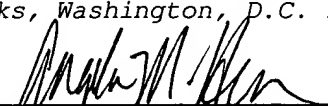


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Applicant : Patrick Young et al.
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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Commissioner:

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 31-50.

Add the following new claims 51-60.

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51. A method of navigating about a data base of television
2 program listings, the method comprising the steps of:
3 storing in electronic memory television program listings
4 for a plurality of channels in a channel listing;
5 displaying on a monitor screen some of the television
6 program listings in a guide format of time and channel; and
7 arranging the plurality of channels in the channel
8 listings in a preferred order to match viewer interest. --